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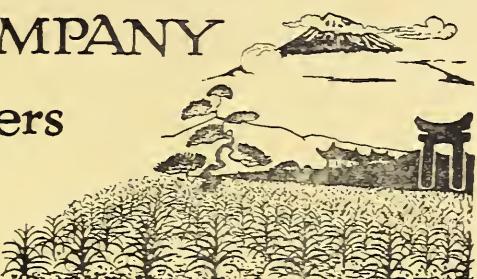
AMERICAN BULB COMPANY

Importers & Growers



172 N. WABASH AVENUE
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

6 MURRAY STREET
NEW YORK CITY



A. B. C. "Supreme" Quality Hardy Perennial Plants, Etc.

Varieties marked with an asterisk are particularly recommended for cut flowers,

Quantity To Offer	Per 100	Quantity To Offer	Per 100
*2000 Achillea Boule de Neige.....	\$ 8.00	1000 Lychnis Chaledonica	\$ 8.00
*2000 Achillea Millefolium Roseum.....	8.00	2000 Monarda Cambridge, scarlet.....	8.00
1000 Agrostemma Coronaria Alba.....	8.00	*5000 Myosotis Semperflorens	9.00
1000 Agrostemma Coronaria Rosea.....	8.00	5000 Meehan's Mallows (<i>Hibiscus</i>), mixed	12.00
2000 Alyssum Saxatile Compacta.....	8.00	1000 Phlox Athis, salmon	10.00
*3000 Anchusa Italica Dropmore.....	12.00	2000 Phlox Mrs. Jenkins, large white	10.00
*2000 Aquilegia Chrysanthra.....	10.00	10000 Phlox Miss Lingard, earliest white, pale pink eye, leathery dark green foliage. Free from rust. Exceptional for cutting. Don't fail to include this in your list. (See illustration)	13.00
*2000 Aquilegia Long Spurred Pink Hy- brids	10.00	2000 Phlox Subulata Rosea	8.00
*3000 Aquilegia Farquhar's Pink.....	13.00	2000 Phlox Subulata Alba	8.00
*2000 Aquilegia Mrs. Scott Elliott.....	10.00	200 Physostegia Virginica, rose.....	8.00
2000 Artemisia Lactiflora	11.00	200 Physostegia Virginica, white.....	8.00
*1000 Aster Climax	10.00	2000 Platycodon Grandiflorum, blue, 2-yr.	8.00
*1000 Aster Feltham Blue	10.00	2000 Platycodon Grandiflorum, white, 2-yr.	8.00
*2000 Aster St. Egwin	10.00	500 Platycodon Mariesii	8.00
200 Aster Beauty of Colwell.....	10.00	1000 Platycodon Japonicum fl. pl.	8.00
1500 Baptisia Australis	10.00	*5000 Rudbeckia Golden Glow	10.00
200 Boltonia Asteroides	10.00	*1000 Rudbeckia Newmanii	10.00
200 Boltonia Latisquama	10.00	1000 Rudbeckia Purpurea	10.00
*5000 Campanula Medium, Mixed colors. 8.00		2000 Salvia Azurea Grandiflora	10.00
*1000 Hardy Large Flwg. Mums, Autumn Glow, rose crimson.....	11.00	*1000 Sedum Spectabilis, 2-year	12.00
*1000 Hardy Large Flwg. Mums, Golden Queen, yellow	11.00	*1000 Tunica Saxifraga	8.00
*1000 Hardy Large Flwg. Mums, Old Homestead, pink	11.00	1000 Valeriana Coccinea, mixed	8.00
*1000 Hardy Large Flwg. Mums, Victory, white	11.00	*5000 Veronica Longifolia Subsessilis	13.00
*1000 Hardy Bronze Pompon	11.00		
*1000 Hardy Eva Pompon, rose	11.00		
*1000 Hardy Fields of Snow Pompon	11.00		
*5000 Coreopsis Lanceolata	8.00		
500 Coreopsis Verticillata	8.00		
*20000 Delphinium Belladonna	10.00		
*20000 Delphinium English Hybrids, fine strain	12.00		
*1500 Delphinium Queen Mary	12.00		
*500 Delphinium Chinensis, blue	8.00		
*2000 Dianthus Plumarius, 2-year	10.00		
*500 Digitalis, mixed colors	8.00		
10000 Funkia Undulata Variegata	13.00		
*5000 Gaillardia Grandiflora	8.00		
*2000 Gypsophila Paniculata, strong 2-yr.	12.00		
*3000 Gypsophila Paniculata, strong 1-yr.	8.00		
1000 Helenium Autumnale Superbum	12.00		
1000 Helenium Riverton Gem	12.00		
1500 Heliopsis Excelsa	12.00		
1000 Hemerocallis Thunbergii	8.00		
2000 Hibiscus Moscheutos, strong	10.00		
20000 Hibiscus Crimson Eye, strong	10.00		
20000 Hollyhocks, Double, pink, red, white or yellow	10.00		
1000 Iberis Sempervirens	10.00		
1000 Iris Germanica Helge, clear yel- low	4.00		
1000 Iris Germanica Lavender Queen, large	8.00		
2000 Iris Germanica Lohengrin, lilac rose	8.00		
3000 Iris Sibirica Blue	6.00		
1000 Lavandula Vera, True Sweet Lav- ender	12.00		
*8000 Lathyrus Latifolius, pink, white or red	10.00		
2000 Linum Perenne, blue	8.00		
2000 Linum Perenne, white	8.00		

CLIMBING VINES
5000 Ampelopsis Veitchii, 2-year 12.00 | | |

10000 Clematis Faucignata, 2-year 12.00 | | |

SHRUBS
2000 Philadelphus Grandiflorus, 2 to 3
feet 10.00 | | |

1000 Philadelphus Gordoniatus, 2 to 3
feet 10.00 | | |

2000 Deutzia Pride of Rochester, 18 to
24 in. 10.00 | | |

10000 Spiraea Vanhouttei 10.00 | | |

PLEASE NOTE—We supply 25 of any one va-
riety at 100 rate, but cannot furnish smaller
units than 25 of a variety.

N. B.—Unless noted otherwise all of above are
of strong one-year-old field growth.



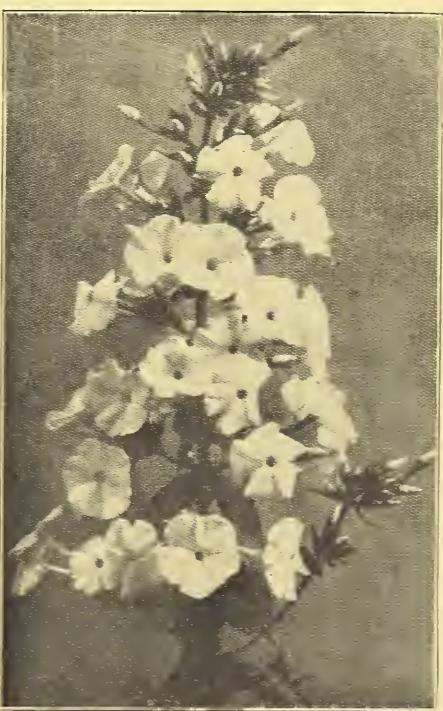
DELPHINIUM (Hardy Larkspur)

PEONIES

A. B. C. "Supreme" Quality
Strong Dormant 2 to 3-Eye Roots

True to Name

Per 100 10 Roots	Per 100 Roots	Per 100 10 Roots	Per 100 Roots		
DUCHESSE D'ORLEANS Very pretty deep pink.....	\$2.50	\$21.00	MME. DE VERNEVILLE White with carmine spots	\$3.50	\$30.00
EDULIS SUPERBA Bright pink	2.50	21.75	QUEEN VICTORIA (Whitleyi) Flesh white, cream cen- ter, tipped carmine... 2.50	21.00	
FLORAL TREASURE Clear pink	2.50	19.50	MADAME D'ARENBERG Deep red, large flower.. 3.00	25.00	
MME. CROUSSE Large pure white.....	2.85	25.50	White and pink varieties, unnamed, but good sorts	2.00	16.50
MONS DUPONT Ivory white	3.10	27.00	5 of any one variety at 10 rate.		
DUCHESSE DE NEMOURS Sulphur white, fading to pure white.....	3.00	26.00	25 of any one variety at 100 rate.		
FESTIVA MAXIMA Pure snow white.....	3.00	25.00	Please note: We do not supply less than 5 of any one kind.		
GOLDEN HARVEST Blush guard, yellow, cream and carmine markings	3.00	24.00	MAMMOTH CLUMPS OF PEONIES We have a limited number of extra size clumps. For quick effect. Each containing 10 to 12 eyes in red, white or pink. Price each, 85c; per 10, \$8.00.		



PHLOX MISS LINGARD
The Cut Flower Phlox Par Excellence

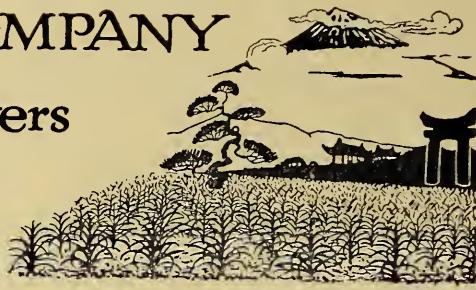
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A. B. C. "Supreme" Quality Flower Seeds

(Continued)

SWEET PEAS (Continued).

Harmony.—An exceptionally choice clear lavender; very large flower. Per oz., 85c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., \$3.00; 1 lb., \$10.00.

Lavender King.—Color rich, true, deep lavender; flowers are of large size and beautifully waved form; extra fine. Don't fail to include this variety in your list. Per oz., 75c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., \$2.50; 1 lb., \$8.00.

Princess.—A vigorous grower, with large flowers, fluted and waved. Color a lovely shade of soft lavender suffused mauve. Per oz., 75c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., \$2.50; 1 lb., \$8.00.

Heatherbell. Color rich but pleasing mauve, turning to a beautiful mauve lavender when cut and put in water. Per oz., 75c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., \$2.50; 1 lb., \$8.00.

Empress.—Very fine. Bright deep rose pink. Per oz., 85c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., \$3.00; 1 lb., \$10.00.

Rose Queen.—Color a most attractive shade of pink. Per oz., 85c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., \$3.00; 1 lb., \$10.00.

THUNBERGIA. Mixed...\$0.15 \$0.75

VERBENA. Mammoth flowered.

White 30 1.50

Scarlet 30 1.50

Pink 30 1.50

Purple 30 1.50

Blue 30 1.50

Striped 30 1.50

VERBENA (Continued). Tr. Pkt. Oz.

Mammoth Lucifer, deep cardinal red... \$0.40 \$2.00

Lemon Scented 50

Mammoth Mixed 30 1.25

VINCA.

Alba, white, with rose center 25 1.00

Alba Pura, pure white 25 1.00

Rosea, pink 25 1.00

Mixed 25 1.00

ZINNIAS. Double Giants.

Improved Grandiflora

Robusta.

Apricot, buff 30 1.50

Apricot, orange 30 1.50

Bright Rose 30 1.50

Buttercup 30 1.50

Cardinal 30 1.50

Crimson, best red 30 1.50

Deep Flesh 30 1.50

Golden Yellow 30 1.50

Lavender 30 1.50

Orange and Gold 30 1.50

Purple 30 1.50

Rose Queen, Tyrian rose with deep rose center; very attractive 30 1.50

Salmon 30 1.50

Scarlet 30 1.50

Shrimp Pink 30 1.50

Sulphur Yellow 30 1.50

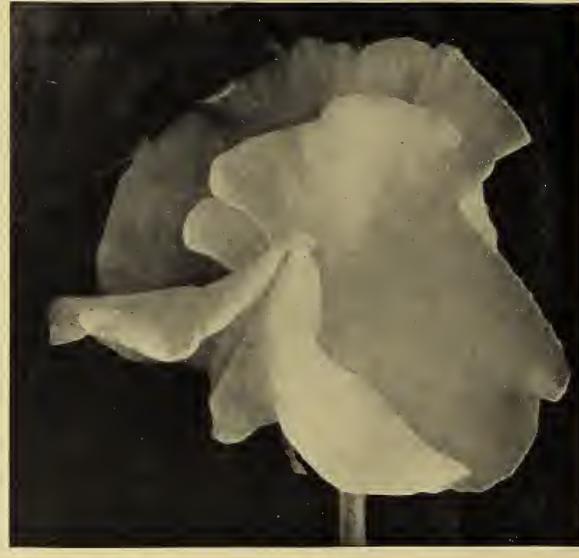
Violet 30 1.50

White 30 1.50

Special Mixed 25 .75

Dwarf Double, for bedding; Bright Scarlet, Fireball, Golden Yellow, White, Salmon Rose, Mixed 15 .50

Red Riding Hood, small double red flowers... 15 1.00



ZVOLANEK'S ROSE

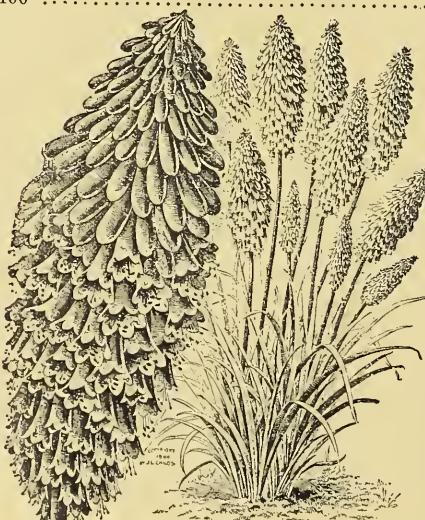
A Sweet Pea that is equally desirable for under glass or outdoor culture.
(See preceding page.)

See preceding page for list of NEW DAHLIA-FLOWERED ZINNIAS

TRITOMA, EVERBLOOMING—(Pfitzeri)

Blooms from July until December. Plants are perfectly hardy in open ground all winter south of Philadelphia; further north they must be protected or wintered in a cellar like the ordinary Tritoma. Just bury the roots in sand; nothing more is required. Should be planted out very early in spring. Plants show from six to twenty grand flower spikes all the time, each holding at a height of three to four feet a great cluster of flame-colored flowers of indescribable beauty and brilliancy. Each cluster keeps perfect several weeks, and when it fades two or three more are ready to take its place. Fall frosts do not kill it or stop its blooming, and it is as brilliant as ever long after all other garden flowers have been killed. For cutting it is unsurpassed, and the beautiful long spikes keep several weeks in water. It has created a sensation in the larger cut flower markets. Strong Blooming Roots:

Per 25 \$ 4.50
Per 50 8.00
Per 100 16.00



TRITOMA PFITZERI
Unexcelled for Late Summer Cut Flowers

Miscellaneous Spring Bulbs

TUBEROSES

Excelsior Double Pearl, 3 to 4-inch circum....\$ 2.00 \$ 18.00
Excelsior Double Pearl, 4 to 6-inch circum.... 3.00 25.00
Single-flowered (everblooming) 3.00 25.00

CALADIUM ESCULENTUM

5 to 7-inch circum.....	3.50	30.00
7 to 9-inch circum.....	6.00	55.00
9 to 11-inch circum.....	12.50	110.00
11 to 12-inch circum.....	15.00
12-inch and up circum.....	20.00

MADEIRA, or MEXICAN VINE..... 3.00 22.50

CINNAMON VINE 4.00 35.00

CALLA ELLIOTTIANA. Yellow, desirable for Easter blooming..... 22.00

CALADIUMS. Fancy-leaved 20.00

TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEGONIAS. Single (Subject to Crop). Scarlet, Pink, Crimson, Yellow, Salmon, White..... 15.00

TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEGONIAS. Double (Subject to Crop). Crimson, Scarlet, Yellow, Salmon, White, Pink..... 20.00

LILY OF THE VALLEY, A. B. C. "Supreme" Quality. Original cases packed 2500 and 3000 pips to case..... 33.00

"COMMERCIAL FLORICULTURE," by Fritz Bahr

A new and up-to-date book covering every phase of plant culture. A practical manual for the retail plant grower. Five hundred pages, two hundred and seventy-five halftone illustrations. Bound in flexible leather. Every grower, no matter how large or how small, should have a copy of this book. We have secured a number of copies that we take pleasure in recommending to our customers.

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